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Applicant: Robert T. BAUM

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Title: SECURITY EXTENSIONS USING AT LEAST A PORTION OF

LAYER 2 INFORMATION OR BITS IN THE PLACE OF LAYER 2

INFORMATION

Examiner: Not yet assigned

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Assistant Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

REQUEST FOR A THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

In response to the "Notice to File Missing Parts of Application" (PTO-1533) mailed on September 7, 2001, which set a time for response to expire on November 7, 2001, and further to the "Notice of Incomplete Reply (Nonprovisional)", mailed on January 22, 2002, please extend the period for response three months to expire on

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Fébruary 7, 2002. A check in the amount of \$ 920.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed herewith. Respectfully submitted, for Loren Swingle, Attorney

February 6, 2002

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